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REMARKS

Claims 1, 2, 4, 8, 9, 11-14, and 16-29 are pending in the application including independent claims 1, 13, and 27. Claims 3, 5-7, 10, and 15 have been cancelled.

This paper is a supplemental amendment providing additional claim amendments for the response filed on May 16, 2005, which was filed in response to the Office Action mailed on December 15, 2004. The present response includes amendments to claims 1, 8, 13, 14, 16, 18,21, and 23-29. These amendments are not related to any rejections or objections set forth in the Office Action dated December 15, 2004. These claims have been amended to correct antecedent basis issues and to provide consistent terminology throughout the claims. All outstanding objections and rejections have been fully addressed in the response filed on May 16, 2005.

Applicant respectfully submits that this case is in condition for allowance. Applicant asserts that no additional fees are required, however, if any additional fees or extensions of time are required, please charge to Deposit Account No. 50-1482 in the name of Carlson, Gaskey & Olds.

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